

after a late breakfast. He took the first opportunity to get to his library and write the following acknowledgement:

"CANTON, Ohio, Nov. 6, 1896.  
"Hon. W. J. Bryan, Lincoln, Neb:  
"I acknowledge the receipt of your courteous message of congratulation with thanks, and beg you will receive my best wishes for your health and happiness.  
"WM. MCKINLEY."



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## WILL THE GOLDBUGS CAPTURE THE UNITED STATES SENATE?

Now, since the smoke of the national campaign has cleared away, it is evident that the gold men were not only determined to elect McKinley and a gold House, but that they have made desperate efforts to capture the Senate also.

For the last few years the United States Senate has been the only protection of the people against the further schemes and designs of the gold men and monopolists. The anti-bond bill and a free coinage bill both passed the Senate last session by a majority of seven. The supreme effort of the gold men has been to put forward to wipe out this majority. To accomplish this they have centered their forces, and spent more money in a small State like North Dakota which has only three electoral votes, than they have in other States that had two or three times as many electoral votes. Their purpose was, of course, to get a gold Senator from North Dakota. The same thing is true of South Dakota, another small State.

The remarkable and tremendous efforts which they put forward in Indiana was equally directed toward capturing the legislature as well as the electoral vote, for in that State the term of the free silver Senator expires. They succeeded and a gold Senator will be elected there.

In Delaware and Kentucky Republicans have been instructed from headquarters to vote in the legislature for a gold Democratic member of the legislature in those States.

The gold men now claim that they will have a majority in the next United States Senate, and if they get a gold Senator from North Carolina, which they are claiming, they will have captured the last bulwark of the people.

Mark Hanna has already arranged to keep open Republican headquarters in New York until after the various legislatures have met and elected Senators. On last Friday night he had a conference in New York with twenty-five of the richest men in America, composed of gold Democrats and gold Republicans, including J. Pierpont Morgan, the American agent and representative of the Rothschilds of England. It is reported that he laid before them his plans for capturing the Senate, and that they promised him all the money he needed for this purpose.

We do not believe that their scheme can succeed with the legislature of North Carolina, unless there are enough gold Democrats elected to the legislature to join in with the Republicans for this purpose, as they have arranged to do in Kentucky and Delaware. Of one thing we feel sure, and that is they cannot control the vote of a single Populist member of the legislature. But let every citizen of North Carolina realize the tremendous issue at stake. It is not a question of how much money would be used to capture a gold Senator from North Carolina. It is a question of whether any member of the legislature can be tampered with or not, for the amount of money that the gold combine would use is unlimited.

Let every North Carolinian fully realize that the action of the North Carolina legislature determines whether the people will control the United States Senate or whether the gold combine shall control it. If the gold men get the Senate, then they will have full possession of every branch of our government. A gold Senator from North Carolina gives the gold combine a majority; a silver Senator from North Carolina gives the people one majority in the Senate.

Which shall it be?

## IT MUST BE UNDER ANOTHER NAME.

While the known results of the election are not yet official, they are sufficiently clear for us to understand that Bryan is defeated. With this defeat there come regrets of disappointments of an almost bitter character. Dreams of a pure American government add hopes of better times and conditions are nullified and crushed temporarily at least. But because of the people is not dead. It is a cause that cannot die.

It is probably idle to go back now and renew the causes which lead to defeat but the chief among them all was the brutal stupidity of the gold-bug nominee for vice-President in declining to retire from the national ticket supported by those forces declaring for reform. It may not be altogether correct to assert that this stupidity is the sole cause of defeat, but it is certain that many people who favor reform could not be persuaded to believe in the sincerity of such a man as Arthur Sewall, and we have no hesitation in saying they were right. We have asserted before that he was put on the ticket by the schemers to defeat it, and we say so now. The object for which he was put up has been accomplished.

Another cause of the defeat was the failure of the party represented by the Chicago convention to support the Bryan ticket. If that party had given two-thirds as many votes to Bryan as it gave to Cleveland four years ago, Bryan would have been elected. While large numbers of the rank and file of the Democratic party may be said to have favored what Bryan stood for, the "bossing" and subsidized element

of the party proved to be strong enough to divide its strength and thus let the party standing for trusts, monopolies, etc. get another four years lease on this country.

The announcement now comes that Mr. Bryan declares he will continue to fight the battle of reform. It is well, perhaps, that he will do so. He is a noble leader, and it may be that none can now be found to equal him. But great events can be evolved within the next four years; and speaking now for the Peoples Party of North Carolina and we believe for the nation, we take the liberty of serving notice on Mr. Bryan that if he desires to head the reform forces of the Peoples Party in the next fight, he must do so under some other name than that of Democracy. That name has become a reproach and a stench among the people, and it will not be supported any more now nor hereafter.

Democrats had charge of the government for nearly four years, and they played the people false—grossly and brutally false. In the campaign just closed, the Peoples Party joined their forces with the Democrats, and the Democrats again played the people false—grossly and brutally false. There is no virtue in them. We are done with them now and forever, and also with any man who seeks to lead the people hereafter under anything that may bear the name, or have the smirch of the word Democrat on it.

## BOLTON'S ABSURD CLAIM.

We notice that Chairman Bolton, of the Republican State committee, is quoted as saying that he had twelve Populist members of the legislature pledged to support a Republican gold man for the Senate; and when further questioned as to whether or not he had enough of them to elect a gold man, he is reported to have said that he looked after that and fixed it during the campaign.

We cannot believe that Chairman Bolton is correctly reported, for such a statement is absurd and in itself a lie. We cannot believe that Chairman Bolton is correctly reported, for such a statement is absurd and in itself a lie. We cannot believe that Chairman Bolton is correctly reported, for such a statement is absurd and in itself a lie.

While there has been some difference of opinion among Populists as to the best methods in this campaign, yet the Peoples Party has always been united and solid on one thing; and that is that no member of the party would vote for a gold man for the United States Senate. This, the Republicans have been plainly told, and have clearly understood all the time. In fact, the Peoples Party would have had the Governor in this co-operation had our party been willing to support a Republican goldbug for the Senate. That was the condition and the only one on which the Republicans would agree to support a Populist for Governor. But this proposition of the Republican committee was promptly and unanimously declined by the Peoples Party State committee. In short the only reason that the Republicans have elected their Governor is because the Populists would not agree to support a Republican goldbug for the Senate.

## THE CAUCASIAN—VOL. IV, NO. 1.

With this issue THE CAUCASIAN enters upon its fifteenth year of publication. It is unnecessary to give a resume of its career since its first appearance. Its growth from a small country weekly, to a paper of State and National reputation, with a larger circulation than any other weekly published in North Carolina, is already well known throughout the State. We desire through this issue to call the attention of our readers and all Populists, that the future success of the paper depends upon the support and aid that you may give it. It cost money to run a successful newspaper, and unless the people rally to its support it cannot be conducted with success. So far the people have loyally stood by it and to them we desire to acknowledge our appreciation of their help. We again appeal to the people to give us their assistance by sending in their subscriptions and also ask our readers to endeavor to secure at least one new subscriber when renewing themselves.

Our prospects are bright and we trust to our part in giving to the public a family newspaper that will meet the approval of all fair minded people. Elsewhere in this issue we publish a prospectus of THE CAUCASIAN for 1897 and it will be seen from it that it will not only be the equal of what it has been in the past but many new features have been added which will make it still more interesting.

In politics THE CAUCASIAN will continue its fight for reform and advocate the issues of the Peoples Party platform adopted at St. Louis, July 22nd 1896, and the platform promulgated at Raleigh, August 13th, 1896.

## OUR PREMIUMS.

THE CAUCASIAN has completed arrangements with a New York Publishing Co., whereby it is enabled to offer to the readers of THE CAUCASIAN good literature at a very small cost. These books are offered as a premium to yearly subscribers and to those who will try to secure small clubs. We can recommend the books as being all that is new and of the highest quality.

The Ladies' Manual, twelve books for one year for only \$1.15. For two yearly subscribers we will send it free to the sender of club.

## THE STATE ELECTION.

It is impossible at this time to give to our readers any official returns of the late election result in the State. As soon as they are all in we will publish a tabulated statement of the vote cast for Presidential electors and State officers.

At present the estimates are placed as follows:  
For Bryan electors, about 12,000 majority.

For Russell, Governor, about 6,000 plurality.

The State Fusion ticket is elected by about 40,000 majority.

Congress-elect are as follows:  
1st District—HARRY SKINNER, of Pitt county, Populist.

2nd District—GEO. WHITE, of Halifax county, Republican.

3rd District—JOHN E. FOWLER, of Sampson county, Populist.

4th District—WILLIAM F. STROWD, of Orange county, Populist.

5th District—W. W. KITCHEN, of Durham county, Democrat.

6th District—CHARLES H. MARTIN, of Anson county, Populist.

7th District—ALONZO C. STURROD, of Catawba county, Populist.

8th District—ROMULUS Z. LINNEY, of Alexander county, Republican.

9th District—RICHMOND PEARSON, of Buncombe county, Republican.

## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The latest returns from the counties show that the Populists can organize the Senate with the help of only one Republican or Democrat, and that the Republicans are short ten of a majority in the House. The Legislature will stand:

Senate—Populists, 24; Republicans, 17; Democrats, 9.

House—Republicans, 51; Populists, 31; Democrats, 34; one member (Jackson county) tied.

The Republicans will lack eighteen votes to elect a United States Senator, and the Populists will lack 28. The Populists have it in their power to elect one of their members or some other advocate of the free coinage of silver if they desire to do so.

## FOR MCKINLEY.

California..... 9 N. Hampshire..... 4  
Connecticut..... 6 N. Jersey..... 4  
Delaware..... 3 N. York..... 36  
Florida..... 3 N. Carolina..... 11  
Georgia..... 12 Oregon..... 3  
Idaho..... 3 Pennsylvania..... 32  
Illinois..... 12 S. Carolina..... 4  
Indiana..... 11 S. Dakota..... 6  
Iowa..... 13 Tennessee..... 6  
Kansas..... 10 Texas..... 10  
Kentucky..... 8 Vermont..... 4  
Louisiana..... 8 West Virginia..... 6  
Maine..... 4 Wisconsin..... 12  
Maryland..... 8  
Massachusetts..... 11  
Michigan..... 10  
Minnesota..... 8  
Missouri..... 10  
Montana..... 3  
Nebraska..... 4  
Nevada..... 3  
New Mexico..... 3  
New York..... 36  
North Carolina..... 11  
Ohio..... 19  
Oklahoma..... 3  
Oregon..... 3  
Pennsylvania..... 32  
Rhode Island..... 1  
South Carolina..... 4  
South Dakota..... 6  
Tennessee..... 6  
Texas..... 10  
Vermont..... 4  
Virginia..... 12  
Washington..... 4  
West Virginia..... 6  
Wisconsin..... 12  
Wyoming..... 3  
Total..... 271

## FOR BRYAN.

Alabama..... 11 Nebraska..... 4  
Arkansas..... 8 Nevada..... 3  
California..... 9 N. Carolina..... 11  
Colorado..... 3 N. Dakota..... 6  
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## HIS VIEW OF THE TRIUMPH.

President-elect McKinley on the Republican Victory—The People, He Affirms, Have Declared Against Reaction and for Upholding the Constitution and Principles of this Great Country.

CANTON, Ohio, Nov. 5.—President-elect McKinley tonight sent the following dispatch to Mark Hanna at New York:

"Your telegraphic message announcing the result of the election, has been received. I beg you to accept my hearty thanks for your great services in the cause of sound money and protection throughout the campaign now closed and gloriously won. They were of a generous and effective, and will receive the warm appreciation of your countrymen everywhere. I will be pleased to have you convey to your associates of the National committee my high appreciation of their efficient services.

"The people and their majesty, ignoring party lines, have declared their detestation of repudiation and dishonor, in whatever specious guise they may be presented. They have with the same mighty power affirmed their devotion to law and order and their undeviating respect for justice and the courts. They have maintained their unflinching determination to support and uphold the constituted authorities of the country, and have thereby given new vigor and strength to our free institutions. They have, indeed, again consecrated themselves to country, and baptized the cherished ordinances of free government with a new and holy patriotism. The victory is not to party or section, but of and for the whole American people.

"Not the least of the triumphs of the election is the obliteration of sectional lines in the republic. We have demonstrated to the world that we are a reunited people in purpose as in name. We have manifested in the great cause the spirit of fraternity and brotherhood that should always characterize our common and equal citizenship, and have proven conclusively that in a country of equal privileges and equal opportunities the insidious doctrine of hate, or of class or sectional distinctions cannot prevail.

"Let us, as Americans, straightway devote ourselves to the upbuilding of America; to peace, honor, and glory of our common country. Party dissensions should no longer divide or rack the public mind; nor the zeal or temper of either side deter any citizen from patriotic devotion to the good of all.

## Catach Means Danger.

Because if unchecked it may lead directly to consumption. Catach is caused by impure blood. This fact is fully established. Therefore, it is useless to try to cure catach by outward applications or inhalations. The true way to cure catach is to purify the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, cures catach by its power to drive out all impurities from the blood. Thousands of people testify that they have been perfectly cured of catach by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## NEWS BRIEVES.

Collected and Condensed for the Readers of THE CAUCASIAN.

### John H. Inman Dead.

John H. Inman, head of the cotton house of Inman, Swan & Co., and a business man of national reputation, died last Thursday, of heart failure. He was 53 years of age. Mr. Inman was born in Tennessee and entered the Confederate service when 17 years old. He came to New York in 1865 and embarked in the cotton business. His estate is now estimated at \$10,000,000. He not only invested in land in the South, but is believed to have in Tennessee South capital of more than \$100,000,000. He was a member of both the old and the present rapid transit boards, and was a director in the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company and the Fourth National Bank of New York city, and a member of several clubs.

### Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt Dead.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Mrs. William H. Vanderbilt died at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

### Cut His Throat After Surrendering to the Spaniards.

HAVANA, Cuba, Nov. 6.—Gen. Aldave, with a force of troops conveying a provision and ammunition train of wagons to Manzanilla, in Puerto Principe province, has had an engagement with the rebels under Soriano Sanchez and Carillo at Alhambra. The loss of the insurgents was heavy. The Spaniards had one man killed and 29 wounded. The steamer Guan Guanico has arrived here bringing 300 sick soldiers from Pinar del Rio. Among the passengers on board the ship was the rebel leader Luis Lazo, who had surrendered to the Spanish commander. When the ship arrived here he was found dead in his cabin, having cut his throat.

### Steel Cruisers for Japan.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—It is announced that the Japanese government has finally closed contracts with the Cramp Ship Building Company of Philadelphia, and the Union Iron Works of San Francisco, for two steel cruisers, similar in essential respects to the United States steamship Olympia, now flagship of the Asiatic Station.

Each firm will build one vessel and their completion will be a race against time.

### Locomotive Boiler Burst.

ALBANY, Ga., Nov. 5.—William Mann, driver, and "Abie" Goss, colored, were killed this morning by the explosion of a locomotive boiler in the Southern Railroad yards. "Jim" Rodgers, colored, was seriously injured. Mann was a machinist and Goss a laborer.

The engine came in from Chattanooga, and was being cleaned. It is supposed that Goss allowed the water to get too low in the boiler and then turned in cold water.

The liquidating trustees of the Standard Oil Trust met yesterday and decided the regular quarterly dividend of \$3 per share and \$2 per share additional, payable December 15. This payment was not only on the outstanding Trust certificates, but a proportionate amount was declared on the corporate stocks which had been retired in the process of liquidating the Trust.

The total original issue of Standard Oil Trust certificates was \$97,250,000. During the fiscal year just closing there has been 31 per cent in dividends, making a total distribution of earnings amounting to \$30,149,500. During the same period the American Sugar Refining Company, known as the Sugar Trust, has paid \$7,023,920 in dividends. In addition to these payments, the Sugar Trust has a surplus of \$1,000,000. The Trust is said to have a surplus of raw sugar, bills receivable and cash amounting to about \$30,000,000.

### Car Went Over the Bank.

RICHMOND, Va., November 7.—A Danville, Va., special says: Fifteen miles this side of Rocky Mount, today, the Danville and Rocky Mount train met with a serious accident. The combination mail, baggage and passenger car, which was at the rear of the train, was thrown from the track by a defective rail. The car rolled down an embankment, turning entirely over twice, and injuring many people.

### Destructive Frosts in Texas.

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 5.—The cotton crop of 1896 is at an end. A killing frost has fallen and the fields are black with rot. There is not a particle of life left in the plant. A few more bales can be picked out, but fully 90 per cent. has been marketed. There is a small number of bales left about farm houses waiting and hoping for a price which the market crop in ten years ought to command.

### Governor-Elect Taylor.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 9.—Governor-Elect Taylor, of Tennessee, telegraphed here today that he will start immediately on a lecturing tour through the South, to extend from now till his inauguration in March. His theme will be "Paradise of Fools."

### Weyler Takes the Field.

HAVANA, Nov. 9.—Captain General Weyler has taken the field in Havana against the insurgents under Antonio Maceo, in the province of Pinar del Rio, and reliable news received from the front indicates that the Spanish columns are approaching close to the enemy.

### A Foolish Bet.

Little Rock, Ark., Special to Louisville Courier-Journal: James A. Gray, living six miles from here, came to town to day and instructed a Little Rock lawyer to make him a deed transferring his farm of 100 acres, together with all his stock there, to John A. Hayes, his neighbor, in payment of a bet he made on Bryan's election. Gray said the result robbed him of a home and left him almost destitute, but that the bet was made in good faith and that he was not going to repudiate it.

### Killed By a Folding Bed.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Warren D. Mason, president of the Chicago Acetylene Gas and Carbide Com-

pany, was killed this morning at his residence by a folding bed. Mr. Mason arose to see what time it was, and in getting back to bed jarred it so that the top fell upon him, breaking his backbone.

## RESTRAINING ORDER VACATED.

Justice Furches Decides Against Ed Morrow in the Pinewill Election Case—The Clerk's Duties are Purely Ministerial.

The action brought by the fusionists of Mecklenburg county to restrain Clerk of Court Morrow from counting precinct No. 3, of Pinewill township, and which was argued before Judge Furches Saturday, was decided Monday. It was decided in favor of the Democrats and against the fusionists. In rendering his decision, Judge Furches declared that the Clerk was only a ministerial and not a judicial officer, and recommended that the plaintiffs institute quo warranto proceedings to determine whether there had been any irregularities in the election in the precinct complained of. The opinion in full is as follows:

"Upon a full consideration of this matter, I am of the opinion that the restraining order heretofore granted should be vacated, and the motion for an injunction should be denied. But in this holding I do not find that there has been any irregularities, intimidation, or frauds committed on the election in precinct No. 3, Pinewill township. It is not necessary that I should undertake to decide these questions, nor do I think I have the power to do so in this proceeding.

"My opinion is that registrars and judges of election should be restrained from deciding upon the validity of the election, and that they are residents of the precinct for which they have been appointed. If they are not, the law provides the means by which this may be tried and judicially determined.

"That a citizen has the right to undertake the matter in his own hand, and by fraud, violence, intimidation or other unlawful means attempt to corrupt such election, if one has been made, if this is done, true elections and free governments would soon be at an end.

"That no citizen has the right to undertake to correct such mistake, if one has been made, by officiously running the township lines, and filing his report with the board, acting in the discharge of their duties as registrars or judges of election. And if any person by such acts, or by threats of violence or threats of indictment, or other unlawful means, did intimidate such registrars or judges, and by such means did interfere with them in the lawful discharge of their duty as such registrars or judges, they have violated both the criminal and civil law of the State. And in my opinion, neither the state nor the individual who may have been injured thereby are without remedy. But it is not in this proceeding.

"I am in full sympathy with what I understand to be the spirit and meaning of the Election Law of 1895—a fair and fair play, and a just and honest count. And while I would not consider it my duty to sustain every technical objection that might be made to the manner of executing this law, if I saw that substantial justice had been done, and free expression of the qualified voters had been obtained, yet I would feel it my duty to support all the powers I have to prevent fraud.

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and intimidations of any kind. But it seems to me from the affidavits filed in this proceeding that this trouble has probably arisen from the fact that two negroes were appointed registrars in this township. And while it is not for me to say whether they should have been appointed or not, and I do not say whether they should or should not have been appointed, but I do say that under the Constitution and laws of this State the negro is a legal elector and is entitled to accept and hold the office of judge or registrar of election, and to exercise and perform the duties appertaining to the same. And the time has passed, (if it ever existed) in North Carolina, when he can be illegally interfered with and prevented from discharging his duties as such officer, on that account.

But it is my opinion that the duties of a clerk in tabulating the vote of an election, and in announcing the result, are ministerial duties. And it is his duty to tabulate and compute all such votes as come to him through the regular channel prescribed by law, unless he shall appear, upon the return itself, that it is in fact not the return of said precinct, for which it purports to be. In such case he should refuse to count it, unless he shall be directed to do so by an order of a Judge of the Superior or Supreme Court.

"Upon an examination of a certified copy (not objected to by plaintiff) of the return of the election in this precinct to the defendant, I cannot say that it contains such inherent and patent defects as would have authorized the clerk to reject it under the rule I have stated; and this being so it was his duty to tabulate and count the same.

"Therefore, the restraining order heretofore granted in this case is vacated, and the motion for a permanent injunction is denied.

"That the defendant, J. M. Morrow, will at once proceed to count said vote in law districts, and the same as no restraining order had been issued in this proceeding. That the defendant will recover his costs of the plaintiff, R. McDonald.

"Immediately upon the delivery of this opinion, Mr. W. R. Henry, who represents the plaintiff, gave notice of an appeal. The case will be argued before the full bench Tuesday.

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## The Alliance Department.

This department has been to a great extent lost sight of since through our Alliance brethren than our own, and we trust that all Sub-Alliances will send such news and suggestions regarding Alliance work and programs for Alliance meetings as will prove of interest to all Alliance men. Send us reports from your county and sub-Alliances for this column.

## Discussions of the Issues.

Money, transportation, taxation, land and other important issues will be discussed both editorially and by contributors. The paper will be made a forum for the advocacy of reform ideas, and the demands of the Alliance.

## Farmer's Column.

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We desire to make this an especially interesting department. We invite the ladies to the use of this column by exchanging ideas and experience in household matters. We have made arrangements to send well-dressed people everywhere, by which we are offering to our readers of THE CAUCASIAN the Democrat Cut Paper Patterns at a nominal price. When purchased in the regular way, these patterns cost from twenty cents to fifty cents apiece, consequently our offer makes every copy of this paper worth that amount extra.

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